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Thousands attend two-day Job Mela

A section of youths who attended the Job Mela at Maharaja's College Grounds in city this morning.

Over 6,000 youths attend on first day

Mysuru, Feb. 24 (PM&SR)- Thousands of job aspirants from across Mysuru and Chamarajanagar districts swarmed the two-day Job Mela organised by Department of Skill Development and District Administration at Maharaja's College Grounds in city this morning.

The Mela that began today at 10 am will conclude tomorrow at 5 pm. Over 88 companies from Mysuru, Bengaluru and Chamarajanagar districts have set up their stalls and facilitating the job seekers. The Mela has been organised for job aspirants between the age group of 18 to 35 years. Candidates from different streams, including SSLC both pass and fail, PUC, BA, B.Sc., B.Com, MA, M.Sc., M.Com, MBA, BBM, Diploma, BE, M.Tech and other courses, who have already registered their names on *www.mysorchnagarjobfair.com* tried their luck with various companies on the first day. Those who failed to register through this portal are also registered on the spot.

Companies ranging from Information Technology, automobiles, retail industry, telecom, mechanical, construction, banking, finance, food processing, manufacturing, garments and security companies are participating.

(See JOB MELA on page 6)

Silk Cocoon Market opened at Bandipalya

Mysuru, Feb.24 (MTY&NNN)- "There was huge demand from the silk growers in Mysuru District to open a Silk Cocoon Market in this area and bowing to the demand, Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy approved it in the recent budget," said Sericulture Minister S. R. Mahesh.

He was speaking after inaugurating the Silk Cocoon Market at APMC Yard in Bandipalya on Mysuru-Ooty Road here this morning and said the present market on 80ft X 37ft opened in the Yard is a temporary place but in the coming days it will be shifted to a two-acre land where the Market will be developed.

"In Mysuru District there are 35,458 cocoon growers and mulberry is grown in 18,333 hectares of land in Mysuru, Chamarajanagar and Mandya districts and there are 735 retailers of cocoon. The problem the growers faced all these years was that they had to carry the cocoons to markets in Ramanagara, Kollegal, Channapatna, T. Narasipur and Malavalli to sell the cocoons. But now with the opening of the Market here their woes are answered," he said.

Recalling the history of Sericulture in Karnataka, Mahesh said, "Karnataka Sericulture has a history of more than 215 years. It was in 1785 that ruler of Mysore Tipu Sultan who established Sericulture in Mysore kingdom. Then the Mysore royal family continued with its patronage and now both the Central and State Governments are encouraging and facilitating the silk growers in a big way with innovative ideas." Growing silk has become a viable option for farmers as it brings good price and even the government is supporting them with minimum support price. 12 lakh farmers are benefited directly and indirectly by growing mulberry plants and rearing cocoons, he said.

(See COCOON on page 6)

Sericulture Minister S.R. Mahesh, District Minister G.T. Devegowda, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath and others after the inauguration of Silk Cocoon Market in Mysuru this morning.

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Mysuru, Sunday 24th February 2019

Visually impaired students bag prize in cultural contests

The prize-winning students seen with** (sitting from left) **Instructor G. Sowmya, Principal B. Elangovan and Lecturer-cum-Cultural Secretary M. Prathima.

Mysuru, Feb.24- Two visually impaired students of Department of Cardio-ankle Vascular Index (CAVI), JSS Polytechnic for the Differently Abled, Mysuru, have won prizes in two different cultural events held recently.

H.N. Shalini has won third prize and N. Jayasheela consolation prize in the Inter-Polytechnic Bhavageethe competition held in memory of late P. Muniyappa by CPC (Govt.) Polytechnic Alumni Association.

In the another event, Jayasheela won first prize in classical competition while Shalini and group won second prize in group song competition held at Suttur Jathra Mahotsava.

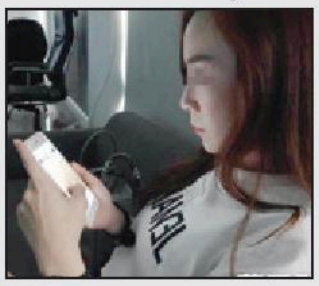
EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

I question the wisdom of my friends in senior positions who without fail switch to Plan-B for hiring new staff. Handling volume of applications, short-listing suitable candidates and conducting personal interviews are tiresome set of tasks which may not lead to favourable outcomes. Why waste time and efforts if personal recommendation can do the trick, they tell me. With a moral obligation weighing heavy on such candidate, there is a greater chance for him/her to deliver results. There is some logic in the argument for sure ! It isn't as if the conventional recruitment process has failed the test, but that the employers have mixed feelings on reference checks for hiring fresh faces. Often, hiring managers fall in love with a candidate on paper and then again in an interview, only to find out through a reference check later that none of their previous employers would ever hire that candidate again.

— Sudhirendar Sharma in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Bright screen ends up with holes in eyes



Taiwan: A young woman from Taiwan who hadset her phone's screen brightness to maximum and had been using it for about two years has ended up with serious damage to her left eye, including around 500 small holes on her cornea.

The woman, surnamed Chen, works as a secretary, that requires her to frequently check her phone and respond to work-related messages as soon as possible. A few years ago, Chen discovered that by setting the screen brightness on her smartphone to maximum. Her mistake was keeping that brightness level at all times, even when watching her favorite drama series on her phone for several hours with the light off.

In March of last year she started experiencing discomfort and when her condition worsened, she started experiencing stinging in her left eye. When she finally consulted an ophthalmologist, he found that the blood vessels in Chen's eyes were congested, and a subsequent examination revealed around 500 tiny holes on her left cornea.

Woman wants handbag from her leg skin

Manchester: A 55-year-old Manchester woman, whose leg has been amputated is looking for a manufacturer to make her a leather handbag from the skin of her amputated limb.

An online marketplace received a bizarre request from a woman looking for a leather processing expert about having a leather handbag made from the skin of her amputatedleg. Instead of dismissing her inquiry, the online marketplace determined that her reasons were valid, and decided to help her. Apparently, the 55-year old woman cannot come to terms with the idea that her leg will become medical waste after the surgery, so she came up with this unusual plan to at least keep a part of it.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

What is the benefit of taking olive leaf extract?

Among the benefits of taking olive leaf extract is lowered blood pressure. In one study, systolic blood pressure dropped 11.5 points in 8 weeks by taking 500 MG twice daily. Insulin sensitivity also improved by 15% and pancreatic response to blood sugar increases 28%.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Confusion in B.Ed admission process

KSOU Officials, students engage in war of words

Mysuru, Feb.24 (SPN&NNN)- A war of words erupted between the officials of Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) and the students over the confusion in the reservation list announced for B.Ed admissions.

The KSOU officials have deliberately created confusion in the reservation list for admission to B.Ed course thus trying to mislead the students. As a result the students who have come from distant places are put into hardship, they charged expressing their anger, here at the KSOU premises on Friday.

Out of 500 B.Ed seats for general merit category, on Friday counselling was reserved for only 247 seats. However, the KSOU officials inviting all categories of students together led to the confusion.

Another problem was regarding the information provided in the booklet where there is a lot of difference in the reservation list and the counselling being done.

The students asked the officials to set this anomaly right.

The higher officials on coming to know of the problem reached the spot and placated the students promising them to set right the things.

Internal Assessment for KSOU courses

Send assignments by Mar.15

Mysuru, Feb. 24- KSOU has started internal evaluation of B.A., B.Com, M.A, M.Com, B. Lib Science courses (2018-19).

As part of its continuous evaluation, KSOU has published course-wise and paper-wise assignment questions with clear directions to students on its website *www.ksoumysore.karnataka.gov.in*.

KSOU students, who have gained admission in the academic year 2018-19, are compulsorily asked to submit the assignments as per the mentioned directions by Mar.15 , 2019.

The students are requested to check the University website, as no individual information will be sent to the students by post, according to a press release.

Really...?

- ***On an average weight of an adult female brain is about 1,275 grams; on an average, 1,00,000 - 10,00,000 chemical reactions take place in our brain.***
- ***Coffee was discovered in the 9th century by a goat herder named Kaldi. He found his goats frolicking and full of energy after eating the red fruit of coffee shrub. He tried some of them himself and was soon acting as hyper as his herd.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Son: Dad, there is someone at the door to collect donations for a community swimming pool.

Father: Okay, give him a glass of water !!

Today's Currency Rate

1 US Dollar	= Rs.71.04
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 92.73
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 19.34
1 Euro	= Rs. 80.57

VOICE OF THE READER

Travails of a train traveller

Sir,

I had booked a seat on Train No.16215 (Chamundi Express) Chair Car to travel from Mysuru to Bengaluru on 21.2.2019. However, when I arrived at the Railway Station at about 6.30 am to get into the coach and take my seat, I was surprised to find that there was no information on the reserved bogies and coaches. There was no official to guide passengers who had booked their tickets on Chair Cars.

Passengers were just rushing in and occupying seats as they desired and there was no distinction between reserved and unreserved and as a result chaos was prevailing.

When I tried to contact the official at one of the counters, I was asked to contact the TC. But there was no sight of the TC from one end of the train to the other. Finally, I had to get into an unreserved bogie and travel to Bengaluru with all the consequences.

As the train proceeded, more and more passengers were rushing in specially between Mandya and Maddur, making it extremely difficult to travel.

It is a disgrace that at such an important junction as Mysuru, the SWR authorities are so callous and apathetic to the problems and woes of the passengers. It is the bounden duty of the authorities concerned to clearly notify the reserved bogies (on Chair Cars) and also to make available authorised staff to help and guide passengers on reserved bogies to get into the right bogies and occupy their seats. The SWR authorities owe an explanation for their lapses, negligence and the inconvenience caused to passengers.

—M. Jameel Ahmed
Yadavagiri
22.2.2019

Gamaka evening in city tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb.24- The District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, in association with Akhila Karnataka Gamaka Kala Parishat, will be conducting Gamaka evening (Gamaka Sanje) at the Sahitya Parishat premises located at the Palace North Gate in city tomorrow (Feb.25) at 5 pm.

Dr. C.S. Anilkumar, Director, Dikshith Arogya Dhama, will inaugurate the event. District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Dr. Y.D. Rajanna will preside.

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Water Resource Management programme at V-LEAD till Mar.2

Mysuru, Feb.24- Vivekananda Institute for Leadership Development (V-LEAD), Mysuru, is conducting a Management Development Programme (MDP) on "Integrated Water Resource Management" (IWRM) for the Engineers of the Government of Karnataka at its campus here from Feb.18 to Mar.2

The main objective of this unique two-week residential course is to increase the knowledge of water resources management and motivate Engineers to meet the challenges that are faced in India with special emphasis on Karnataka. The MDP also aims to improve the capacity to comprehend and analyse the problems connected with IWRM and discuss potential solutions.

The course is specifically designed for the Engineers of Irrigation, Water Resources Department and the Staff of Command Area Development Authority, Department of Agriculture, Government of Karnataka. The course is tailor-made to the training needs of Advanced Centre for Integrated Water Resource Management (ACIWRM), Bengaluru and will have the funding, guidance and certification of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) with UNESCO as a partner.

ACIWRM Registrar Gurupada Swamy inaugurated the programme and oriented the participants about the training. He also explained about scientific and sustainable management of water resources.

ACIWRM Director (Technical) Dr. P. Somashekar Rao felt that this event would be significant for building the capacity of Water Resources Department in the context of developing River Basins.

SVYM President Dr. M.R. Seetharam, in his presidential address stressed on importance of water resource integration.

V-LEAD Director S. Sudarshan proposed a vote of thanks, according to a press release from V-LEAD.

NEWS BRIEFS

Power disruption

Owing to emergency maintenance works, power supply will be disrupted tomorrow (Feb.25) between 10 am 5 pm in the following areas: Koorgalli Industrial Area, Excel Public School, Vinyas, Koorgalli Lake surroundings, Gopalan Compound, Wipro, Meriter, Pattabhi Enterprises, Millennium, L&T, Mark Batteries Road, Chamundi Silks and surrounding areas; Rajivnagar 1st, 2nd and 3rd Stage, Shantinagar, Nehrunagar, Radhakrishnanagar, Bharatnagar, JSS Layout, Shaktinagar, Ghousianagar, Kyathamaranahalli, Kalyangiri, Bhugathagalli, Velapura, Rammanahalli Water Works, Kalasiddanahundi, Sathgalli; Narayana Hrudayalaya, Albadar Masjid, Suryanarayana Temple, Christian Colony; Ayarahalli, Rayanahundi, Kumbrahalli Mutt, Basahallihudi, Devalapura, Chikkegowdanahundi, Marigowdahundi, Kiralu and surrounding areas.

Ground water awareness prog.

The Ground Water Directorate, Bengaluru, will be conducting one-day awareness programme on ground water conservation at Horticulture College, Yalachanahalli village in the taluk at 10 am tomorrow.

Free Piles Camp

Mithi Surgery Hospital has organised a free Piles Laser Camp for Piles, Fistula, Fissure and Varicose Veins patients with theme 'Piles-free-India' from Feb.25 to 28 at 10 am at its premises on Ramanuja Road in Agrahara.

Mushroom and Mango cultivation

The Horticulture Department will be organising a week-long workshop on Mushroom cultivation and seed production at Kukkarahalli Lake farm, from Feb.26 to Mar.2. For details, contact Mob: 78290-56082.

The College of Horticulture in the city will be organising a one-day workshop on 'Improvised farming practices in Mango cultivation' at its premises at 10.30 am on Feb.28. Agricultural experts, scientists and resource persons will educate the farmers on quality production, processing and marketing of Mango products. Interested farmers from Mysuru, Chamarajanagar, Hassan and Mandya districts can take part. [Ph: 0821-2970411 or Mob: 81479-59226 or 93419-97297]

MCC Budget Council Meeting on Feb.26

The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Budget Council Meeting, which was scheduled on Feb.28, has been preponed to Feb.26 at 11 am and will be held at its Council Hall, according to a press release from the MCC Council Secretary.

Ahead of Lok Sabha polls, 354 Police Inspectors transferred in State

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RK&SR)- In a major reshuffle ahead of Lok Sabha elections, the State Government has transferred 354 Police Inspectors, including many from Mysuru on Friday. State DG&IGP Neelamani N. Raju has issued an order in this regard.

Mysuru Ashokpuram Police Inspector P.M. Siddaraju has been transferred to Mulki Station of Mangaluru district, Devaraja Traffic Police Station P.A. Suraj has been transferred to Barki Police Station, Hebbal's A. Guruprasad to Dhruva Police Station, Devaraja Police Station's Prasannakumar to Hassan District Crime Record Bureau (DCRB), P.P. Santosh of Udayagiri to Lokayukta, T. Ashok Kumar of CCIB to Mangaluru West Traffic Police Station, K.R. Traffic Police Station's R. Jagadeesh to Kankanady Town Police Station, Alanahalli's K.M. Manju to Channapatana Rural Police Station, Arunakumari of Siddarthanagar Traffic Police Station to Mandya DCB Special Station, Lakshmipuram's S. Gangadhar to Moodbidri Police Station, Vidyaranyapuram's Omkarappa to State Intelligence Division and H. Hariyappa and K.M. Mahadevashetty, whose postings were pending, have been posted to Lakshmipuram Police Station and Mandya DCRB respectively, with immediate effect.

Veteran Kannada writer
Ko. Channabasappa no more

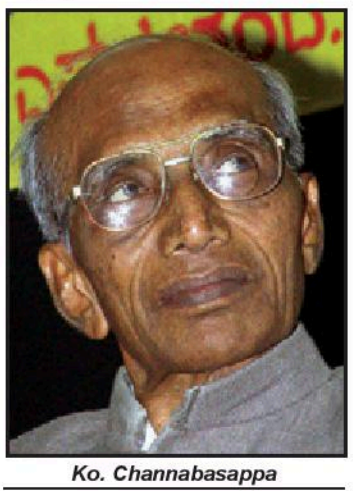
Bengaluru, Feb.24- Veteran Kannada writer and freedom fighter Ko. Channabasappa passed away at a private Hospital yesterday morning. He was 98. He is survived by five children.

Born in Alur in Kudligi taluk of Ballari district, Channabasappa, well-known as KoChe in the literary world, was trained as a lawyer.

He was also a freedom fighter who participated in the Quit India Movement in his student days. He was an ardent follower of Kannada poet laureate Kuvempu.

KoChe was a recipient of Rajyotsava and Nadoja awards. Karnataka State Open University honoured KoChe with Honorary Doctorate. He was ailing with age-related health issues.

KoChe is best known for his works that include *Sri Ramayana Darshanam Mahakavya Samikshe, Khajane, Raktaparna,*



Ko. Channabasappa

Hindurugi Baralilla, Nyayalayada Satyakathe, Hrudaya Naivedya and *Belakinadege*.

Ko. Channabasappa was also former Judge and a well-known liberal voice in the State. He presided over the Kannada Sahitya Sammelana at Vijayapura in 2015. In his Sammelana address, he had defended an individual's right to expression.

Three Pandrol rail clip thieves arrested
Trackman averts major tragedy

The three accused, who stole Pandrol Rail Clips, are seen with Inspector Shivaraju, SI Govindaraju and staff Nagaraju, Manjunath, Ramesh, Nagendra, Bhaskar and Jagadeesh.

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RK&NNN)- The Railway Protection Force (RPF) Police have nabbed three thieves who had stolen Pandrol Clips (Elastic Rail Clip) used in railway tracks. Meanwhile, a Railway Trackman alerted the engine driver of Cauvery Express proceeding to Chennai via Bengaluru on Feb.1 to slow down the train as it moved closer to Ring Road, thus averting a major tragedy.

It came to light that three thieves Sanjay Dhruvaraj alias Pintu, 22, from West Bengal, Lakshman, 28, from B.M. Shri Nagar, Mysuru and Rizwan Pasha, 38, from Aleem Nagar, Mysuru, had stolen 74 Pandrol Clips or ERC used in railway tracks.

The RPF Police have registered a case in this regard.

Over a hundred
Tahsildars transferred

Mysuru, Feb.24- The State Government late on Wednesday (Feb.20) transferred 118 Tahsildars across the State.

As per the transfer orders, Mysuru Tahsildar T. Ramesh Babu has been posted at H.D. Kote, while Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) Tahsildar Nischay has been transferred to Dakshina Kannada district.

A.A. Kusuma, who was serving at Madikeri, has been posted to the office of the Regional Commissioner at Mysuru, R. Manjunath has been posted at the Assistant Commissioner's Office in Mysuru and Mysuru Municipal Tahsildar Swamy has been posted as Election Tahsildar at Kodagu.

Unidentified bodies found

Mysuru, Feb.24 (KS)- In separate cases, city Police have found unidentified bodies of elderly persons at Lashkar and Lakshmipuram Police limits in city.

In the first case, Lashkar Police have found a body of an unidentified man aged between 55 and 60 years lying in front of the then Ranjith Theatre (now demolished) on Mother Theresa Road at about 5.30 pm on Feb.21.

The deceased is 5.7 ft. tall, normal built, dark complexioned, oval faced, has a scar of an old wound on his knee and was wearing a black and white with grey stripes full arm shirt and dark blue shorts when found.

The kith and kin of the deceased, if any, may contact Lashkar Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418107/ 307 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339, according to a press release from Lashkar Police Station.

In the second case, Lakshmipuram Police have also found a body of an unidentified man aged about 60 years in Krishnamurthypuram 6th Cross on Feb.21.

The deceased is 5 ft. tall, oily red complexioned, has a mole on his chest and was wearing a khaki coloured shirt and white dhoti when found.

The kith and kin of the deceased, if any, may contact Lakshmipuram Police on Ph: 0821-2418120/ 320/ 520 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339/ 100, according to a press release from Lakshmipuram Police.

Double billing scam

MLA Tanveer Sait files plaint with ACB

Tanveer Sait

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RK&DM)- NR Congress MLA Tanveer Sait has lodged a complaint with the ACB (Anti Corruption Bureau) Police in connection with the alleged Rs.1.40 crore Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) double-billing scam related to M.G. Road development works. In his complaint filed with the ACB SP, Mysuru, Tanveer Sait has appealed the Police to probe the alleged Rs.1.40 crore double-billing scam, which was exposed by BJP Corporator B.V. Manjunath.

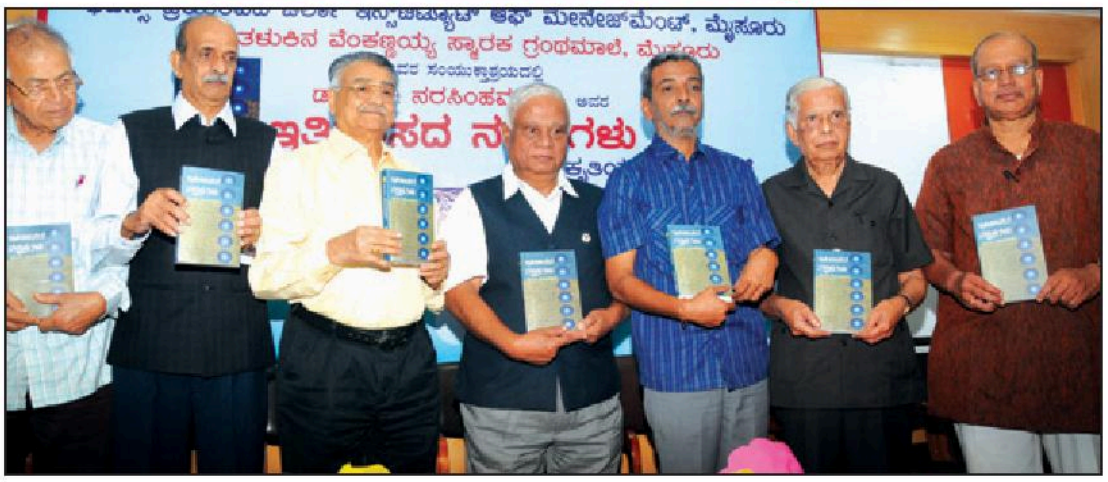
Following the allegations, a Fact-Finding Committee, headed by Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath, was formed and soon after the Committee began a probe, the accused MCC officers Sunil Babu and Mohana Kumari, along with contractor Karigowda, tried to hush up the case by installing studs on M.G. Road and executing works on cross roads. But the accused were caught by the MCC officials, the complaint said.

The MLA appealed the ACB to register a suo-moto case for alleged misappropriation of funds (Rs.1.4 crore) in M.G. Road development works and to initiate action against the guilty.

Following the complaint, the ACB registered a case in this regard and began probe, with ACB Dy.SP Umesh G. Shet visiting the MCC and gathering the relevant records. Meanwhile, it is learnt that Tanveer Sait has also lodged a complaint with Deputy Commissioner Abhiram G. Sankar regarding the alleged scam.

Dr. A.V. Narasimhamurthy's 'Ithihasada Nakshathragalu' book released

People least interested in history: Rues Public TV Chief H.R. Ranganath



Public TV Chief H.R. Ranganath (third from right) releasing the book 'Ithihasada Nakshathragalu' penned by retired Professor of Ancient History & Archaeology, Mysore University, Dr. A.V. Narasimhamurthy at BVB auditorium in Vijayanagar here yesterday as (from left) BVB Mysuru Kendra Treasurer Dr. A.T. Bhashyam, Publisher T.S. Chayapathy, BVB Mysuru Vice-Chairman K.B. Ganapathy, BVB Bengaluru Chairman N. Ramanuja, BVB Mysuru Chairman Dr. A.V. Narasimhamurthy and retired Professor Dr. N.S. Taranath look on.

Mysuru, Feb.24 (PM&NNN)- "In the present day society, people are least interested in history and even finding scholars in the subject has become difficult," regretted Public TV channel Chief H.R. Ranganath.

He was speaking after releasing the book '*Ithihasada Nakshathragalu*' penned by retired professor Dr. A.V. Narasimhamurthy at a function organised by Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB), Bhavan's Priyamvada Birla Institute of Management, Mysuru and Talukina Venkannaiah Smaraka Grantha Male at the BVB auditorium in Vijayanagar here yesterday.

A stage is reached when people ask what does reading present history mean? And the only way it is looked at is, what profit or benefit it brings to one. Hence, it is very difficult to find scholars or experts in the field of history who can come and debate on historical subjects with any authority. As a result we are forced to call people with half-baked knowledge of the subject, he said.

If one does not learn about history then future of a country cannot be built. If one sees the history of India from inside then one cannot fathom its importance. Instead if one goes outside the country and views it only then its significance can be understood, Ranganath said.

"As part of my profession, I have visited many countries. I have seen the interest people show about history even in the smallest of nations. In California University, I was surprised to see an 83-year-old working on her seventh Ph.D. However, we hardly see such instances in our country which is really a sad situation," he said.

It is not very difficult to understand or learn history. History does not just mean about rulers, monarchs, soldiers or martyrs. Even recording ordinary people's lives is history. Even in the media field majority show disinterestedness in history. The main reason for this is the view that there is no tangible or intangible benefit learning about history, he said.

"There is a one-sided history projected in the media. I always recall what my Editor YNK (Y. N. Krishnamurthy) used to say about history, 'what is told in the news is a bit of history itself.' However, being in the media when one does not understand basic history then it leads to a tough situation. In such a situation to publish a book on history is not an easy task," said Ranganath.

Taking potshot at people who view history in a lighter vein, he said that this book opens eyes to those people who even without having knowledge of history try to show off that they know everything.

"If we imagine that the ruling government will prescribe such books as textbooks then it will be an illusion, because no government has such good motives. They are only interested in what benefits them and not what is useful to the society," he rued.

The memorials that reflect history does not harm anyone, but vandalising them is nothing but treachery. Chamundi Hill was earlier called Mahabaleshwara Betta. Even though thousands of people visit the Hill, very few are aware of this part of the history. In spite of youth being immersed in smart phones and internet, they are least bit interested in understanding history by downloading information about it, he said.

"Even though I do not use any social media, I know about many things than those who extensively used social media. We should be slaves of knowledge and not of technological devices," the speaker argued.

Star of Mysore and *Mysooru Mithra* Editor-in-Chief K.B. Ganapathy said, "When I was studying in college my history lecturer Muthuswamy used to say, 'History is past politics; and politics present history.' This is a maxim attributed to Sir John Robert Seeley which still rings in my mind and this is exactly the situation we are in today. We must be aware of the way history should be interpreted. There are people who distort history and write. But Dr. A.V. Narasimhamurthy is one historian who records true history."

Author Dr. Narasimhamurthy, who also spoke said, "Ranganath in his TV channel has expressed the view that India should not play against Pakistan in the World Cup Cricket following the Pulwama attack on CRPF Jawans who were martyred. Mother and motherland are more important than even heaven. K.B. Ganapathy has shown his large-heartedness by publishing my column in both the newspapers. The study of history is as vast as the sky. Even though one can distort history, history itself tells only the truth."

BVB Bengaluru Chairman N. Ramanuja said, "The book '*Ithihasa mattu Samskrithi*' has been digitalised by BVB. It is also being brought out in pen drive format. This is in English language and has 15,000 pages. In Kannada language it runs to 25,000 pages. One can put the pen drive in the pocket and read it anywhere in the world."

Dr. N. S. Taranath, retired Professor, spoke about the book. Talukina Venkannaiah Smaraka Grantha Male Publisher T.S. Chayapathy, former Corporator S. Balasubramaniam (Snake Shyam), BVB Mysuru Treasurer Dr. A.T. Bhashyam, students and others were present.

Padayatra to Dharmasthala

Mysuru, Feb.24 (SPN&US)- Over 150 people set out on a padayatra from Mysuru to Dharmasthala, commencing from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple here on Friday evening as part of Mahashivarathri.

Speaking on the occasion, R. Anjanappa leading the group said that they would pass through K.R. Nagar, Holenarsipur and Hassan before reaching Dharmasthala on Mar.3.

He further said that they would participate in the puja rituals to be held in Dharmasthala on Mar.4 from 5 pm as part of Mahashivarathri festival.

ಪ್ರಾಚಾರ್ಯರು, ಭೂಮಾಪನ ಕಂದಾಯ ನಿರ್ಣಯ ತರಬೇತಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ
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ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

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ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : 14/2018-19 ದಿ: 20-02-2019

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
(ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಉಪನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ಅರಮನೆ ಮಂಡಳಿ, ಮೈಸೂರು ರವರು, ಮೈಸೂರು ಅರಮನೆಯ ಆವರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುವ ಯುಗಾದಿ ಉತ್ಸವ - 2019ಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಉಪವಿಭಾಗದ ಒಂದು ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಒಟ್ಟು ಮೊತ್ತ 8.00 ಲಕ್ಷ ರೂ. ಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ವಿಭಾಗದ ರೂ 4.50 ಲಕ್ಷದ 2 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಸೊಂದಾಯಿತ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು / ಏಜನ್ಸಿ / ತಯಾರಕರು/ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ ಯಿಂದ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. (1) ವಿದ್ಯುನ್ಮಾನ (ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್) ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ : 27-02-2019 ಸಂಜೆ 5.30 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ. (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಯ : 01.03.2019 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.30 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗಳು, ಷರತ್ತುಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in ಅಂತರ್ಜಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ದಿನಗಳಂದು ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಮೇಲೆ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿರುವ ದಿನಗಳು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ರಜಾ ದಿನಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಅನಂತರದ ದಿನಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಸಹಿ/- ಉಪನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

No.DIPR/MYS/DD/1169/AKAR/18-19 ಮೈಸೂರು ಅರಮನೆ ಮಂಡಳಿ, ಮೈಸೂರು

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
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ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಬಂದರು ಮತ್ತು ಒಳನಾಡು ಜಲಸಾರಿಗೆ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಶೇಷ ವಿಭಾಗ ಮೈಸೂರು ಇವರಿಂದ ಒಟ್ಟು 16 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿತ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 2059 ಮತ್ತು 2216 ಲೆಕ್ಕ ಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ KW-1 ನಿಬಂಧನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಷರತ್ತುಗಳನ್ವಯ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾರಣಾಂತರಗಳಿಂದ ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿತ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಅವಧಿ ವಿಸ್ತರಣೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗೆ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 26.02.2019 ಆಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಖಾಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡುವ ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27.02.2019 5.30 ಘಂಟೆ ಆಗಿದ್ದು, ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 01.03.2019 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಘಂಟೆವರೆಗೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.4.75 ಲಕ್ಷ ಹಾಗೂ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.1.90 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ.ಯ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.12000/- ಮತ್ತು ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.4800/- ಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅವುಗಳ ಪೈಕಿ 01 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಮೀಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳು ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವವರ ಕಛೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್

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Day-Night Flea Market at Scouts & Guides Grounds

Children enjoying colouring at a specially-curated Kids Activity Zone at the Mysore-in-a-Market, a Day-Night Flea Market at Scouts and Guides Grounds behind DC's Office in city this morning. Picture right shows jewellery on display and sale at one of the stalls in the Market. The Flea Market, featuring 90-plus select brands from cities like Bengaluru, Chennai, Delhi, Mumbai, Lucknow, Hyderabad and more; selling products under various categories such as Home Decor & Accessories, Pets & Grooming, Jewellery, Health Foods, Men's & Women's Apparel, Plants & Gardening, Quirky Merchandise, Art Installations, Health & Wellness, will be open up to 11 pm today. This is the 1st edition of Mysore-in-a-Market and a part of the proceeds from ticket sales at the Market will be made over to the market's Cause Partner, 'The Little Sisters Of The Poor, Mysuru' — a charitable organisation that cares for the aged. For further information, contact Mob: 919742-297434 or mysoreinamarket@gmail.com

Fire continues to rage
Bandipur Forest range
Forest Minister Satish Jharkiholi to assess damage

Mysuru, Feb.24 (MTY&NNN)- Tense situation prevailed as forest fire continued to rage in the Bandipur National Park in the Gopalaswamy Betta region on the fourth day today as nearly 20,000 acres of forest land has been destroyed.

The intensity of the fire was so high that it spread to the main road near the Hill.

This resulted in the hindrance to the fire-fighting operations as Forest Department personnel and volunteers had to brave strong winds, which resulted in the spreading of the fire throughout the forest last night.

Meanwhile, Forest Department is making all arrangements to receive the Forest Minister Satish Jharkholi who is likely to visit Bandipur this afternoon to assess the damage caused due to forest fire.

However, according to another source in the Department, the Minister might stay in Mysuru overnight and visit Bandipur tomorrow morning.

Silk Cocoon Market

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With the introduction of e-governance, the farmers will get better remunerative prices through e-auctioning and the weight of the cocoons is also accurate as they are weighed on electronic weighing machines when they bring it to the open market, he said.

District in-Charge Minister G.T. Devegowda said that introduction of Cocoon Market in this area is a good development that will benefit the silk growers and rearers of the region. Added to this the move of Sericulture Minister S.R. Mahesh to open the market in the future in a two-acre land will also immensely benefit the Sericulture industry, he added.

There was a time when the traders and farmers made a hue and cry when APMC market was shifted from Bamboo Bazaar to the outskirts in Bandipalya in

1985-86 that they were greatly inconvenienced with the move. Now, they have realised what long term vision it was done, he said.

CSR white breed and cross breed yellow cocoons were on display at the market. The Sericulture farmers and traders were seen paying money in advance for getting trade licences. Sericulture Development Commissioner K.S. Manjunath, Joint Director Nataraj, APMC President Prabhuswamy, Vice-President Javaraiah and others were present.

National Lok Adalat on Mar. 9

Mysuru, Feb.24 (KS)- Based on the instructions of the National Legal Services Authority (NLSA) and Karnataka State Legal Services Authority (KSLSA), National Lok Adalat will be organised at all the Courts of Mysuru district on Mar.9. Civil suits, criminal cases which can be compromised, motor vehicle accident claims and other civil disputes can be resolved at this Adalat by reaching at a compromise between the parties.

The public are asked to make use of this Adalat, according to a release issued by the Member-Secretary of the District Legal Services Authority (DLSA). [Ph: 0821-2330130]

Thousands attend two-day Job Mela

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District Administration had arranged breakfast for 4,500 job aspirants, supplied clean drinking water, set up mobile toilets, and provided adequate security for the success of the fair.

Registration was also done in person at the venue. To help the candidates, KSRTC operated extra buses from all taluks.

Skill Development Joint Director N.S. Shivanna, Assistant Director Geetha, District Employment Officer D.M. Rani and others were present on the spot and coordinating the event at the venue. For details, call Mob: 98861-71912 or 83102-42801.

Speaking after inaugurating the Mela, Higher Education and District Minister G.T. Devegowda said this fair has been organised as per instructions from Chief Minister H .D. Kumaraswamy to ensure jobs for youths in the twin district.

There is a provision to give jobs to 8,785 aspirants in the twin districts from this fair. The District Minister also handed over job offer letters to some youths symbolically on the first day.

MLA L.Nagendra presided. Tourism and Sericulture Minister S.R. Mahesh, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath, MLA Ashwinkumar, MLC Marithibbegowda and others were present.

DVG Award for senior journalist

Amshi Prasanna

Mysuru, Feb.24 (KS)- Senior journalist Amshi Prasannakumar has been selected for DVG Award instituted by Karnataka Union of Working Journalists (KUWJ).

The award, which carries a purse of Rs.5,001, a memento and a citation, will be presented to him during the 34th Journalists State Conference to be held on March 1 and 2 at Suttur Srikshetra in Nanjangud.

Amshi Prasannakumar had served as the President of Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA) and is serving as a journalist since three decades.

Modi rolls out Rs. 75,000 crore
PM-KISAN scheme from Gorakhpur

New Delhi, Feb.24 - Prime Minister Narendra Modi today launched the Rs. 75,000 crore Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) scheme in Uttar Pradesh's Gorakhpur by transferring the first instalment of Rs. 2,000 each to over one crore farmers. Another one crore farmers are expected to be covered in the next two to three days.

"This is just the beginning. Every year, an approximate amount of Rs. 75,000 crore will be directly put in the farmers' bank accounts," PM Modi said.

The Centre has said the new direct cash transfer scheme will ensure transparency and save time for farmers. The scheme was introduced to augment the income of small and marginal farmers and is estimated to benefit over 12 crore farmers.

In the interim Budget 2019-20, the Central Government had announced PM-KISAN scheme under which Rs. 6,000 per year will be given in three instalments to 12 crore small and marginal farmers holding cultivable land up to two hectares.

"Gone are those days when the government used to send Rs. 100 rupee, but Rs. 85 was lost in between corrupt middlemen and only a fraction of the total amount reached the beneficiary. PM-KISAN has been made foolproof so that nobody can snatch farmers' rights," PM Modi said.

PM Modi said the project's launch demonstrates two things: the NDA's unwavering commitment to farmer welfare and speedy decision-making. "A scheme announced on Feb. 1, 2019 has become reality in such a short span. This is the new work culture of New India," he said.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi interacting with one of the beneficiaries after launching Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) scheme in Uttar Pradesh's Gorakhpur this morning.

The scheme has been made effective from this fiscal itself and as a result, farmers would get one instalment before March-end. This programme is part of the government's effort to address farm sector distress, caused by lower sales realisation on bumper production of food grains, oilseeds, sugarcane, cotton and horticulture crops.

Modi said that Centre has distributed Kisan Credit Cards (KCC) all over the country to enable farmers in having quick and timely access interest-free loan upto Rs.1.5 lakh in all Nationalised Banks.

Over one crore farmers from 14 States including UP and Karnataka will get their first instalment and one crore more beneficiaries, spread over 28 States and one UT, would get their instalment in the next 2-3 days, according to officials of Union Ministry of Agriculture.

Opposition leaders, however, say that the speedy implementation of the scheme was only in view of the upcoming Lok Sabha elections. Many of them, including Congress President Rahul Gandhi even alleged that the money translates to a paltry Rs.3.3 a day per person for a family of five.

No payment after model code of conduct

Payments could be made only to those beneficiaries who have been identified and enrolled before the Model Code of Conduct kicks in, according to Election Commission of India officials.

"If the beneficiaries have already been identified before the model code of conduct, they can receive (the payment). No new beneficiaries can be identified after the model code of conduct, then payment cannot be made without permission of the Commission," Navin Chawla, who served as the CEC between April 2009 and July 2010.

Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha with Defence Minister Nirmala Sitharaman at the launch of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) scheme at ICAR-Indian Institute of Horticultural Research, Hesaraghatta, Bengaluru, this morning.

Medical Conference held on 'Mind-Body Medicine'

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RKB&US)- Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya (PBKIVV), Mysuru Sub-Zone, in association with Medical wing, Rajyoga Education and Research Foundation (RERF), Mount Abu, had organised a Conference on 'Mind-Body Medicine' at Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) Convocation Hall in Muktagangothri here this morning.

About 1,000 doctors from various parts of the State and Tamil Nadu participated in the event who were all welcomed by the Brahmakumaris by applying 'Thilaka' on their foreheads and greeted with flowers.

Speaking on 'Healing the healer' with special reference to medical field, Motivational Speaker Sister BK Shivani suggested hospitals to set up an 'Anger Zone' at the premises where anyone in a fit of rage or anger could go and defuse their volatile mind in a soothing and pleasant ambience.

She advised doctors or any professional to leave their home for work leaving behind anger or displeasure which otherwise would contaminate the work too.

She contended that acceptance and meditation would do wonders in a person's behaviour and quality of work. She demonstrated the art of meditation appealing the audience to join her which was obliged.

Dr. Vishwanath Kini, Senior Consultant Radiologist, Qatar, delivered the welcome speech.

Dr. Banarsilal Sah, Secretary, Medical wing RERF, Mount Abu, spoke on the Conference.

BK Karunaji and BK Lakshmiji of Brahmakumaris graced the occasion.

KG Multi and Super Speciality Hospital-Coimbatore Chairman Dr. G. Bhaktavatsalam, JSS University VC Dr. B. Suresh and Indian Medical Association-Mysuru President-Elect Dr. Suresh Rudrappa were the chief guests.

Tourism and Sericulture Minister S.R. Mahesh was present during the occasion.

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"ಮಹಿಳೆ ಎಂದೂ ಅಸಹಾಯಕಳಲ್ಲ; ಅವಳೆಂದೂ ತನ್ನನ್ನು ಪುರುಷರಿಗಿಂತ ದುರ್ಬಲಳು ಎಂದು ಭಾವಿಸಬೇಕಾಗಿಲ್ಲ"
– ಮಹಾತ್ಮ ಗಾಂಧಿ

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ಸನ್ಮಾನ್ಯ ಉಪಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು

ಮಹಿಳೆ ಮತ್ತು ಮಕ್ಕಳ ಅಭ್ಯುದಯಕ್ಕೆ ಮೈತ್ರಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆದ್ಯತೆ

ಸಶಕ್ತ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ವಾವಲಂಬಿ ಮಹಿಳೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಸದೃಢ ಮಕ್ಕಳು: ಆಯವ್ಯಯ 2019-20ರ ಧ್ಯೇಯ

ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿ ಮಾತೃಶ್ರೀ ಯೋಜನೆ

ಜಿ.ಪಿ.ಎಲ್. ಕುಟುಂಬದ ಗರ್ಭಿಣಿಯರಿಗೆ ಹೆರಿಗೆ ಪೂರ್ವ 3 ತಿಂಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಹೆರಿಗೆ ನಂತರ 3 ತಿಂಗಳ ಕಾಲ ಮಾಸಿಕ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯ 1,000 ರೂ.ಗಳಿಂದ 2000 ರೂ.ಗಳಿಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಳ. ನವೆಂಬರ್ 2019ರಿಂದ ಜಾರಿ. 470 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಮೀಸಲು.

ಗೌರವಧನ ಹೆಚ್ಚಳ

ಅಂಗನವಾಡಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕರ್ತೆಯರಿಗೆ 500 ರೂ.ಗಳ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಹಾಯಕಿಯರಿಗೆ 250 ರೂ. ಮಾಸಿಕ ಗೌರವಧನ ಹೆಚ್ಚಳ. ನವೆಂಬರ್ 2019ರಿಂದ ಜಾರಿ. 60 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಅನುದಾನ.

ನೂತನ ಅಂಗನವಾಡಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ

ನಗರ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ 100 ಅಂಗನವಾಡಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ಆರಂಭಕ್ಕೆ ಕ್ರಮ. ಹಾಲಿ ಇರುವ 1,000 ಅಂಗನವಾಡಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ದುರಸ್ತಿಗೆ 10 ಕೋಟಿ. ರೂ. ಅನುದಾನ

ದಮನಿತ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರ ಬದುಕಿಗೆ ಭದ್ರತೆ

- ದಮನಿತ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರು ಸ್ವಾವಲಂಬನೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ವಾಭಿಮಾನದ ಬದುಕು ಕಟ್ಟಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಉದ್ಯಮಶೀಲತೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ ತರಬೇತಿ. ಉತ್ಪಾದನಾ ಘಟಕಗಳ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆಗೆ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ನೆರವು. 11.5 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಮೀಸಲು.
- ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ವಸತಿ ಯೋಜನೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ದಮನಿತ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರಿಗೆ ಮೀಸಲಾತಿ.

ಸಿದ್ಧ ಉಡುಪು ಕಾರ್ಖಾನೆಯ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರಿಗೆ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯ

- ಸಿದ್ಧ ಉಡುಪು ಕಾರ್ಖಾನೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ಮಹಿಳಾ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರಿಗಾಗಿ ಶಿಶುಪಾಲನಾ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ಆರಂಭ.
- ಅಪಘಾತ ಪರಿಹಾರ ಸಹಾಯಧನ ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನಿತರೆ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ 10 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ವಿಶೇಷ ಪ್ಯಾಕೇಜ್.
- ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ / ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡಗಳಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿದ 25,000 ಸಿದ್ಧ ಉಡುಪು ಮಹಿಳಾ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕರ ಕೌಶಲ್ಯ ಉನ್ನತೀಕರಣಕ್ಕೆ ಶಿಶುಕ್ಷು ತರಬೇತಿಗೆ 37 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಮೀಸಲು

ಶ್ರವಣದೋಷ ಮತ್ತು ಬುದ್ಧಿಮಾಂದ್ಯ ಮಕ್ಕಳ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕರಿಗೆ ತರಬೇತಿ

ಖಾಸಗಿ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವದೊಂದಿಗೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ತರಬೇತಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಶ್ರವಣದೋಷ ಮಕ್ಕಳ ಮತ್ತು ಬುದ್ಧಿಮಾಂದ್ಯ ಮಕ್ಕಳ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕರಿಗೆ ತರಬೇತಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ.

ವಿಕಲಚೇತನರಿಗೆ ಯಂತ್ರಚಾಲಿತ ದ್ವಿಚಕ್ರ ವಾಹನ

2,000 ದೈಹಿಕ ವಿಕಲಚೇತನರಿಗೆ ಯಂತ್ರಚಾಲಿತ ದ್ವಿಚಕ್ರ ವಾಹನ (ರೆಟ್ರೋಫಿಟೆಡ್) ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ನೀಡಲು 15 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಅನುದಾನ.

"ಮಕ್ಕಳ-ಸ್ನೇಹಿ" ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ

3 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ವೆಚ್ಚದಲ್ಲಿ 10 ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಗಳ ಮಕ್ಕಳ ವಿಶೇಷ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯಗಳು 'ಮಕ್ಕಳ-ಸ್ನೇಹಿ' ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯಗಳಾಗಿ ಪರಿವರ್ತನೆ.

ತರಬೇತಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ

ಮಹಿಳಾ ಮತ್ತು ಮಕ್ಕಳ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಕರ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ತರಬೇತಿಗಾಗಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ರಾಜ್ಯಮಟ್ಟದ ಮತ್ತು ಮೈಸೂರು, ಬೆಳಗಾವಿ, ಕಲಬುರಗಿ ಮತ್ತು ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗದಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ಮಟ್ಟದ ತರಬೇತಿ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳ ಸ್ಥಾಪನೆ. 5 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಅನುದಾನ.

ಎಲ್ಲ ಸೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕ ಕುಂದುಕೊರತೆಗಳನ್ನು ಅಸ್ಪೃಶ್ಯತೆಯನ್ನು ನಿವಾರಿಸಲು ಸರಿಯಾದ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಕ್ಕಿಂತ ದೇಶದ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಾಗಲಿ ಪ್ರಜಾಸತ್ತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಪ್ರಜೆಯೂ ಪಾಲ್ಗೊಳ್ಳುವಿಕೆಯ ಸಂವಿಧಾನಬದ್ಧ ಮೂಲಭೂತ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯ

ಮೈತ್ರಿಯ ನಡಿಗೆ – ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯ ಕಡೆಗೆ

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Happiness is not elusive, it is within us: Sister B.K. Shivani

Sister B.K. Shivani** (fourth from left) **lighting the lamp to mark the inauguration of talk on 'Password for Happy Living' at KSOU Convocation Hall in city last evening as other dignitaries look on.

Mysuru, Feb. 24 (US&YDS)- "Life is very simple and beautiful but the peace of mind is spoilt by unnecessary stress and confusions," opined Motivational Speaker from Delhi Sister B.K. Shivani. She was speaking at a unique programme *'Password for Happy Living'* organised by Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya (PBKIVV), Mysore Sub-Zone, last evening at KSOU Convocation Hall in Mukthagangotri here.

Sister Shivani suggested people not to brood on the past but look for happy moments in future.

"We lose happiness through our mistakes but look for that elsewhere. In fact happiness is within everybody which should be realised to lead a meaningful life. Having a big house, a luxury car and expensive clothes may bring a momentary peace and happiness but would not last long. Good positive thinking, humility and friendly nature can evolve real happiness."

"As is our consciousness, so will be our thoughts and behaviour. Peace is hampered by negative thoughts. Concentration and determination will always be elusive for a wavering mind. A simple life with control of mind can always find happiness," asserted Sister Shivani. She later demonstrated by providing relevant examples in daily life and ways to manage emotions like stress, ego and fear. She engaged the audience with thought-provoking questions getting a good feed back.

Speaking as the chief guest, Department of Transport Principal Secretary Dr. B. Basavaraj said that the expectation of a child is just a chocolate which keeps increasing as the child grows. He added that nothing can be expected through death and hence pointed out that the end should be accepted to lead a happy and contented life.

Commissioner for Textile Development Dr. M.R. Ravi said that a Musk Deer which emits a sweet fragrance wonders where it is coming from and searches for the source in the forest. "Similarly we look around for happiness which is within us. Parents should stop comparing their children with others and identify the talent in their children," he said.

Mysore University Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar opined that Universities were just awarding degrees to students and lauded PBKIVV for promoting the real gist of life.

B.K. Karunaji and B.K. Lakshmiji graced the occasion. Cardiologist Dr. Mohit Gupta and others were present.

*Star of Mysore **Editor-in-Chief K.B. Ganapathy is seen greeting Sister Shivani with a bouquet. Picture right shows a section of the audience.***

Love Thyself event peps up early birds at MRC

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RKB&NNN)- Even as the rays of early morning sun filtered through the trees of sylvan surroundings of Mysore Race Club (MRC) Club House, the nearly 200 people gathered had every reason to believe in the dictum 'Love Thyself.'

Executive Director of *Star of Mysore*, Ralie Ganapathy inaugurating 'Love Thyself,' a health wellness and meditation programme organised by Inner Wheel Central as part of its community project here this morning said, "It is such a joy to come early in the morning to the beautiful place at the foot of Chamundi Hill and be a part of this unique event. This is especially at a time when we are so used to getting up in the morning and seeing the 'burning' issues of terror and fire on TV early in the morning."

"Love Thyself is a beautiful concept because if one cannot love oneself then one cannot love others. This programme related to health, early in the morning benefits physical, emotional and mental health of people," she said.

The inauguration followed a 21-minute package designed by Rachana Nagesh, co-ordinator, where there was seven minutes of dance led by Jhanavi and Amrutha to which the audience let their hair down dancing to foot-tapping numbers. Then the second seven minutes was immersed in laughter as everyone roared loudly to their hearts content. The final seven minutes focused on meditation as the gathering chanted Omkara.

"To mark the Valentine's Day in a meaningful way, Love Thyself is a beginning. Since the event focuses on empowerment through health, its theme is 'love and peace.' So the dress code is red and white for all where red depicts love and white peace. If one is healthy and confident about oneself, one can spread love," said Rachana Nagesh.

Inner Wheel Mysore Central President Anitha Suresh said that part of the proceeds from sale of tickets for the event will be used to build a toilet complex in a school.

Core Committee Members Suma Mahesh and A. G. Bharathi, Rotarians of Rotary Central and others participated.

*SOM **Executive Director Ralie Ganapathy seen inaugurating 'Love Thyself' event at MRC premises this morning as organisers look on.** Pic. right: **Meditation session.***

Grand Walkathon
for Women Empowerment

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RK&SR)- Over 1,000 women took out a walkathon yesterday in city from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple till Exhibition Grounds to raise awareness among public about women empowerment and safety issues.

The walkathon was organised jointly by DHAN Foundation and Department of Kannada and Culture. Holding placards on women and their safety, raising slogans to ensure safety for women at all working places, they passed through Hardinge Circle, Bengaluru - Mysuru Road and culminated at P. Kalingarao Memorial Hall in Dasara Exhibition Grounds where a public programme was held.

This programme also sensitised women about job skills, providing vital health information, mobilising against domestic violence and improving their housing and community infrastructure.

Earlier, Additional Deputy Commissioner B.R. Poornima flagged off the walkathon. Syndicate Bank Regional Manager Panduranga, Programme Coordinator of DHAN Foundation Gajanan Heggade and others were present.

DYES Mysuru Asst. Director Suresh suspended

Suresh

Mysuru, Feb.24- The Assistant Director, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports (DYES), Mysuru, Suresh has been suspended from service pending enquiry since Feb.21, 2019 for dereliction of his duties.

Earlier twice he was suspended and transferred but later on he was re-instated as the Assistant Director, DYES, Mysuru, after his suspension was revoked.

Speaking to *SOM*, K. Srinivas, Commissioner, DYES, Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru, confirmed the same, and said that Cheluvaiah, District Sports Officer, DYES, Chamarajanagar, has been given additional charge of DYES, Mysuru and he will be in-charge of DYES, Mysuru from Feb.23, 2019 until further orders.

Football League: Facile win for Mysore Hunters FC

Mysuru, Feb.24- Helped by a goal each by Samith (5th), Nithin (40th) and Yashwanth (50th), Mysore Hunters FC registered a facile 3-1 win over Spirited Youth FC in the MDFA 'C' Division Football League 2018-19 for the Chirag Trophy played at the University Grounds here on Saturday.

RESULT — Mysore Hunters FC: 3 (Samith 5, Nithin 40, Yashwanth 50) bt **Spirited Youth FC:** 1 (Ganesh 45).

'A' Division Basketball League

ASC beats Rising Stars

Bengaluru, Feb.24- ASC Centre, Bengaluru, registered a 51-28 win over Rising Star, Mysuru, in the Karnataka State 'A' Division Basketball League Championship at Sree Kanteerava Stadium courts on Saturday.

RESULT — ASC, Bengaluru: 51 (Rinku 10) bt **Rising Star, Mysuru:** 28 (Gokul 10).

THIS Week

AIFF Qualified Coach: Praveen Raju

Football is the most popular sport in the world sporting scene and has a large following all over the universe. Mysuru has been a centre which has been producing talented footballers, coaches and referees from time to time who have gone on to play, officiate and coach different teams in different levels. One such talented footballer turned coach is Mysuru lad **D.V. Praveen Raju.**

Praveen Raju

Praveen is the only Mysurean to pass the **All India Football Federation (AIFF)** and Asian Football Confederation (AFC)'s Football Coaching 'C' Licence Exam in KSFA Stadium, Bengaluru, in November 2018, for which the results were declared on Feb.20, 2019. Praveen Raju is one of the eight coaches who passed the examination. He is our 'Star This Week.'

Praveen Raju is presently running Vijayanagar Football Academy, Mysuru, as coach and he has played Super Division League of Karnataka from 2010 to 2012 and represented Mysuru district in many State-level Tournaments.

Praveen Raju has done his Diploma and Engineering in Electronics and Communication and worked in IT Field. But his passion for football as changed his life and now, his profession and passion are same.

A total of 24 coaches took the exams for the AFC 'C' Licensed coaches programme, which included many aspiring coaches and ISL players but only eight players got through the exams.

Now, Praveen Raju will be getting the certificate as "Asian Football Confederation 'C' Licensed Coach."

The AFC 'C' Coaching Certificate Course aims at training coaches and developing their basic techniques and skills in football. It is designed to teach the coaches to organise, direct and conduct basic coaching practices targeting especially young players. The course lasts 13 days and requires a minimum of 85 hours of study time for both the practical and theoretical sessions. In the final examination, students will be assessed on their practical coaching abilities, knowledge of the laws of the game, in addition to learning and understanding of the theory contents of football.

Praveen Raju has passed his All India Football Federation 'D' Licence Examination in August, 2018. He was recently selected for "Premier Skills" Workshop conducted by British Council and Premier League - England for coaches in Goa.

Praveen Raju intends to devote himself to coaching in football and try his best to develop Mysuru football and produce some good football players for the country. The Mysore District Football Association should utilise his services, as professional coaching is most necessary from the grass-root level.

SPORTS EVENTS

CRICKET

KSCA Mysuru Zone T-20 Tournament 2018-19

25.2.2019	Semi-finals at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds
27.2.2019	Finals at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds

KSCA Mysuru Zone Inter-Collegiate Knock-out Tournament

26.2.19	NIE FGC Vs GFGC, Kuvempunagar at JSS-SJCE Grounds
26.2.19	Sarada Vilas FGC Vs Yuvaraja's College at JSS-SJCE Grounds
28.2.19	Quarter-finals at SJCE & SDNRW Grounds
2.3.19	Semi-finals at SJCE Grounds
3.3.19	Finals at SDNRW Grounds

SPORTS QUIZ

1. **What does the term BCCI stand for?**
2. **The term 'Riposte' is used in which sport?**
3. **'Indira Gandhi Gold Cup' is associated with which sport?**
4. **Which is the first Asian ream to win the test series in South Africa?**
5. **Who is the Indian women shooter who created a World Record in the ISSF World Cup in the 10M Air Rifle event?**

1. Board of Control for Cricket in India. 2. Fencing. 3. Hockey-Women's. 4. Sri Lanka. 5. Apurvi Chandela.

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"Pourakarmikas' safety, security is mandatory"

Warns Natl. Commission for SC Vice-Chairman L. Murugan

L. Murugan

Out of the 17 people killed in the Kichguth Maramma Prasadam Poisoning at Sulwadi in Hanur taluk of Chamarajanagar district, nine belong to SC communities and compensation will have to be paid according to Scheduled Castes and Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act and a memorandum has already been submitted. The surviving family members will be provided employment, housing and also compensation in cash.

—L. Murugan, Vice-Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Castes

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RKB&NNN)- In order to provide safety and security to Pourakarmikas working in the districts, they must necessarily be given helmets, gloves and shoes, warned L. Murugan, Vice-Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Castes.

He was chairing a review meeting of districts officials at Abdul Nazir Saab auditorium in the Zilla Panchayat premises here on Thursday. He gathered information from eight district officials who had participated in the meeting regarding caste atrocity cases filed, budgetary allocation for SC, ST development, Manhole Scavenger Act, and reviewed the implementation of State and Central Government schemes and special provisions provided for SC, ST and whether they were complied with.

He directed the officials to provide information about Pourakarmika contract workers' ESI numbers, PF numbers and bank account and salary information within 15 days as they are not getting any of these benefits properly. He asked them to form task forces to create awareness regarding atrocities against SC, STs in hair cutting salons and temples. The Police were also asked to identify places where caste atrocities are happening.

The incidents of child labour where children below 18 years are working in sugar factories in Mandya district have come to the fore. Hence, Deputy Commissioners, Police Officers and Labour Department officials must visit such places and take action against the owners and also see that such children are admitted in schools, he said.

There are several Central and State Government schemes implemented for Scheduled Castes and the officials concerned should see that proper steps are taken to reach the schemes to eligible beneficiaries, he said.

Later, addressing the media after the review meeting, Murugan said that Hassan had a high number of atrocity cases reported during the last three years and this included 87 cases during 2016-17, 102 during 2017-18 and 61 as on date during 2018-19.

There were 76 cases reported in Mandya district during 2016-17, 84 in 2017-18 and 78 cases as on date during 2018-19.

In case of Mysuru district, there were 71 atrocity cases during 2016-17, 75 during 2017-18 and 54 as on date during 2018-19, he said.

Among the various forms of atrocities, caste abuse was most prominent, constituting more than 90 percent of the reported cases in all the districts.

This is followed by molestation and rape, while the third highest number of cases pertained to murder, he said and added that the SPs of the district have been told to identify the atrocity-prone areas and take measure to curb such practices that results in denial of services or access to public places to individuals such as entry to temples, lack of burial grounds etc., and monitor these places, he said.

Over 5 crore voters in State: ECI

Bengaluru, Feb.24- With Lok Sabha Polls round the corner, the Election Commission of India (ECI) has released the updated list of eligible voters as on Jan.16, 2019 and according to it, there are 5,03,07,182 voters in the State.

Out of the 5,03,07,182 voters, there are 2,54,55,976 men voters, 2,48,46,488 women voters and 28,996 other voters.

The State electoral rolls include 7,12,606 first time voters, who are in the age group of 18-19 years.

Belagavi district has the highest number of voters with 37,02,138 voters, while Kodagu district has the least number of voters with only 4,34,256 voters.

Mysuru district has 24,65,102 voters, out of which 12,35,313 are men, 12,29,607 women and 182 other voters. In keeping with the State trend, men voters outnumber women is Mysuru district too.

Mandya district has 14,85,065 voters, with 7,42,697 men, 7,42,237 women and 131 other voters. In Mandya district, there are 18,769 first time voters.

Chamarajanagar district has 8,29,696 voters, who include 4,13,356 men, 14,16,278 women and 62 other voters. Here women voters outnumber men.

Hassan district has 14,29,765 voters, including 7,21,677 men, 7,08,053 women and 35 other voters. The district has 14,945 first time voters.

Kodagu district, which has the least number of voters in the State, has 2,15,977 men, 2,18,254 women and 25 other voters. Here also, women outnumber men in numbers as in Chamarajanagar district.

Bengaluru Rural district has 8,12,902 voters, including 4,09,767 men, 4,03,015 women and 120 other voters.

The number of voters in the State may go up a little further as more young voters, who have attained the age of 18 years as on Jan.1, 2019, will be included in the electoral rolls after the special voter enrolment camp scheduled to take place across the State on Feb.23 and 24 and Mar.2 and 3 ends.

The Election Commission has been making efforts to include all young voters who have crossed 18 years of age and other eligible voters in the electoral rolls ahead of the Lok Sabha Polls.

Seminar held on

'Family-based agriculture'

Mysuru, Feb.24 (MTY&US)- Marking Radio Kisan Day, Prasara Bharati, Akashvani and others had jointly organised a seminar on 'Family-based agriculture' at the premises of Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL) recently.

Speaking on the occasion, Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) Director Dr. Chandregowda opined that the concept of family-based agriculture was going extinct owing to the migration of the youth from rural to urban areas. In the early days, three to four generations of a family used to be involved in agriculture which was also contributing to good rearing of livestock and processing of organic manure.

The weekly shandy in villages was the usual place to market the agricultural produce. The need for preservation of ground water has become vital. To earn more with less inputs, farmers are resorting to cash crops using chemical fertilizers which is a dangerous trend, opined Dr. Chandregowda.

The programme was inaugurated by progressive farmer couple from Indi taluk in Vijayapura district Rajashekar Revanna Siddappa Nimbaragi and Renuka by watering a sapling.

Addressing the gathering, Rajashekar said that he passed SSLC securing 13th rank in 1974 and took up agriculture.

He recalled that he was using chemical fertilisers to get more yield but faced other problems before advised by an Agricultural Officer to attend an agricultural workshop where he was introduced to organic farming which he has been advocating now and getting good yield.

A two-minute silence was observed to pay respects to soldiers killed recently in the terror attack in Kashmir.

Families of farmers participated in the seminar and shared their experiences.

Akashvani Assistant Director H. Srinivas, Engineering section Director Sunil Bhatia and other were present.

Unorganised sector workers told to make use of insurance scheme

Mysuru, Feb.24 (SR)- Assistant Commissioner of Labour A.C. Thammanna has called up the unorganised sector workers to make use of various life insurances and other accident benefit schemes introduced by the Karnataka State Unorganised Workers Social Security Board under Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Karmika Sahaya Hastha Scheme.

Nanjangud Labour Inspector M.C. Madappa distributing first aid kits and certificates to drivers at the workshop held at a private hotel in Nanjangud recently.

Speaking at the day-long workshop for drivers, organised by Karnataka State Unorganised Workers Social Security Board held at a private hotel in Nanjangud recently, he said that the State Government had constituted the Board with the intention to extend social security benefits to unorganised sector workers who comprises 93 percent of the labour force.

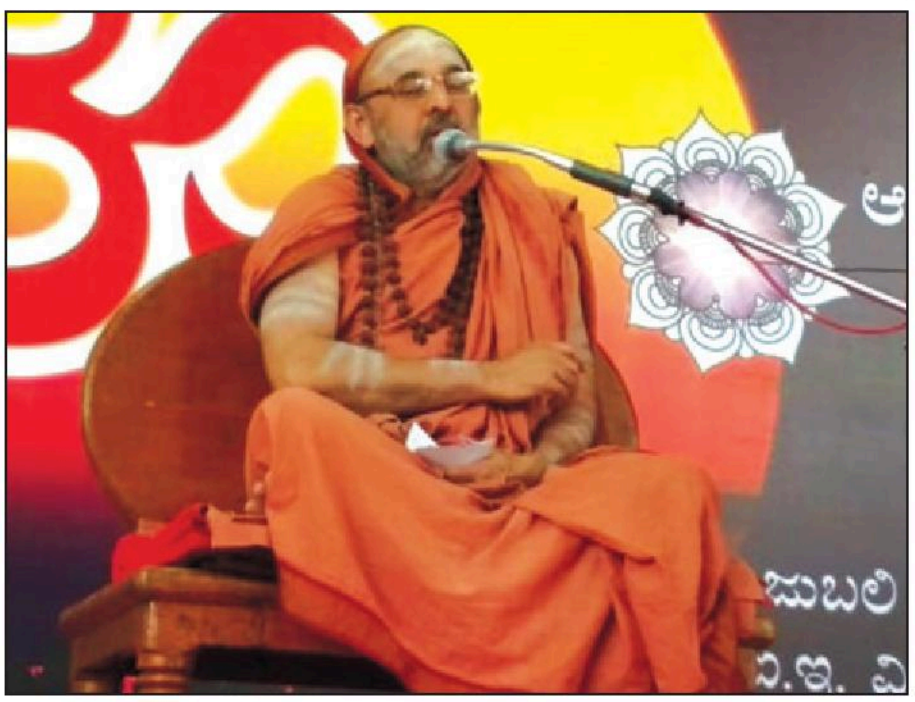
He said that the Board has introduced Karnataka State Private Commercial Vehicle Drivers Accident Benefit Scheme for auto, taxi, maxicab, lorry and private bus drivers who also come under the unorganised sector.

An insurance compensation amount of Rs.2 lakh will be given to the nominee in case of death. Interested drivers can avail this insurance benefit by paying Rs.25 one time registration fee at Karnataka State Unorganised Sector Social Security Board. Drivers in the age group of 20 to 70 years can register their names to avail this benefit, he said.

Speaking on the occasion, Senior Labour Inspectors Geetha, Veena and Shashidhar also advised the drivers to make use of the facilities provided by the Board.

Nanjangud Labour Inspector M.C. Madappa distributed first aid kits to 170 drivers, certificate and Rs.350 allowance for participating in the workshop. Indian Red Cross Society, Taluk Unit Chief Dr. Narayanaswamy provided tips on first aid on the occasion.

Hundreds attend discourse by Sri Shankara Bharati Swamiji



Sri Shankara Bharati Swamiji of Yadatore Mutt delivering a discourse during the valedictory of the Discourse Week 'Bhashamrutavahini,' organised by Vedantha Bharati, at NIE Diamond Jubilee Sports Complex auditorium on Manandavadi Road in city this morning. Picture right shows a section of devotees listening to the discourse. Sri Shankara Bharati Swamiji has been delivering a series of discourses on 'Shankara Bhashya on Taittiriya Upanishad' at various places across city and taluk centres since Feb.18.

Karnataka still witnesses 23 percent child marriages

58 cases reported in Mysuru in the last 10 months

Principal District and Sessions Court Judge S.K. Vontigodi is seen lighting the lamp to inaugurate the workshop on 'Child Marriage' at ZP premises in city this morning as others look on.

Mysuru, Feb.24 (PM&SR)- Principal Civil Judge Senior Division Sunil A. Shettar disclosed that Karnataka State is still witnessing 23 percent of child marriage though the State and Central Governments have enacted various laws for prevention of the same.

He was speaking at the one-day workshop on 'Prevention of Child Marriage Act 2006 and Prohibition of Child Marriage (Amendment) Act 2016,' organised jointly by District Administration, Zilla Panchayat (ZP), District Legal Services Authority (DLSA) and Department of Women & Child Welfare, for Judges, Public Prosecutors, Judicial Officers at ZP premises here this morning.

Stating that of every 100 marriages in the State, 23 are child marriage, despite awareness and preventive measures undertaken by the Governments to put an end to this social evil, he said, "this statistics tells that such evil cannot be prevented by laws alone."

PROVIDE CASH INCENTIVES

He said that the number of child marriages in Haryana, which once recorded the highest cases of child marriages in the country, has now almost reduced with the Government there sensitising its people and providing cash incentives to girls below 18 years of age if they are not married.

Karnataka State Government too must come up with similar cash incentive schemes to completely stop child marriages in the State, he added.

ZP CEO K. Jyothi, who also spoke, said that 58 child marriage cases have been reported in Mysuru district in the last ten months though Child Welfare Department officials have been making all efforts to contain child marriage with the support of Police and Non -Government organisations.

"Cases have been registered against parents for encouraging child marriage in the district this year. Officials have also been making efforts to collect evidence to book cases against remaining parents. Public should co-operate fully to put an end to this practise and also other social evils," she added.

Inaugurating the workshop, Principal District and Sessions Court Judge S.K. Vontigodi, who is also the Chairperson of DLSA, asked Judges to dispose the cases related to child marriage at the earliest.

Deputy Director of Department of Prosecutions and Government Litigation P.B. Dharannanavar wanted the officials to initiate stern action on the persons encouraging child marriage and other social evil.

In his address, DLSA Member-Secretary C.B. Devaramane called upon people to strive hard to root out this menace that violates the rights of children.

He also said that awareness programmes should be held to educate people about ill-effects of child marriage and health risks to be faced by girls who marry before completing 18 years of age.

Sugarcane Growers Assn. decides not to support any political parties

Kuruburu Shanthakumar

Mysuru, Feb.24 (MTY&SR)- The Karnataka State Sugarcane Growers Association has decided not to support any political parties in the upcoming Lok Sabha polls.

Disclosing this to media persons at Pathrakartara Bhavan here yesterday, Association President Kuruburu Shanthakumar said that his Association has always kept aloof from identifying and supporting political parties including Congress, BJP, JD(S) and Swaraj India.

The Association has maintained distance from politics since its inception and is working for empowerment of farmers and rights of sugarcane growers across the country to find solutions for their problem.

He said **a delegation of 20 farmer leaders will be meeting the heads of all political parties in New Delhi on Feb.27 and 28** urging them to include pro-farmer schemes, facilities, and programmes to end the agrarian distress across the country in their party manifestos, which will be brought out by them during Lok Sabha elections.

The farmer leaders will be pressing all political parties to implement M.S. Swaminathan Commission recommendations that include minimum support price for all farm products, creation of better marketing and cold storage facilities and providing loan to farmers land according to present market value.

The ryot leaders will also demand the political parties to give impetus for irrigation projects, to conduct the Special Parliament Session in South India to discuss the issues of farmers in threadbare and to create a Deputy Prime Minister post exclusively to deal with agriculture, horticulture, sericulture and other farmer-centric issues across the country.

Association State Organising Secretary Attahalli Devaraj, office-bearers Baradanapura Nagaraj, Kanakapura Ravi and others were present during the press meet.

MP dismisses doubts on him getting LS ticket

Pratap Simha

Mysuru, Feb.24- Dismissing doubts in some circles on his getting the BJP ticket again to contest from Mysuru-Kodagu Lok Sabha Polls as mere speculations, MP Pratap Simha has expressed confidence of his renomination for the LS Polls.

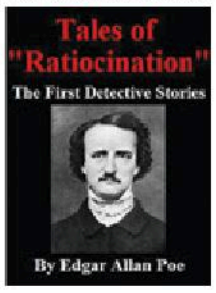
Speaking to press persons at the DC office here on Friday, Pratap Simha said that he had done much work than any other MP in the State and as such, he was very much hopeful of being renominated by the party to contest the LS Polls from Mysuru-Kodagu seat.

Maintaining that there are many ticket-seekers in the BJP too just like in other parties, he said that he was very much satisfied with the works he had done for his constituency and he was very much confident of getting re-elected in the forthcoming LS Polls.

WORD OF THE DAY

Ratiocination

Pronunciation: rat-ee-oh-suh-NAY-shun



Meaning: The process of exact thinking : reasoning; a reasoned train of thought.

Origin: Edgar Allan Poe is said to have called the 1841 story "The Murders in the Rue Morgue" his first "tale of ratiocination." Many today agree with his assessment and consider that Poe classic to be literature's first detective story. Poe didn't actually use ratiocination in "Rue Morgue," but the term does appear three times in its 1842 sequel, "The Mystery of Marie Roget." In "Marie Roget," the author proved his reasoning ability (ratiocination traces to ratio, Latin for "reason" or "computation"). The second tale was based on an actual murder, and as the case unfolded after the publication of Poe's work, it became clear that his fictional detective had done an amazing job of reasoning through the crime.

Example: "It is beginning to look like television may soon kill not only the theatre and the movies but radio, books, magazines, newspapers, and finally articulate speech and all the processes of ratiocination." — Aldous Huxley, letter, 14 Feb. 1949. "Ratiocination is a trained, disciplined procedure of arriving at truth—a use of reason and perspicacity so precise it's almost supernatural." — Virginia Heffernan, Wired, June 2018.

THE ODD WORD

Absquatulate

To leave somewhere abruptly

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A fate worse than death

Meaning: Any misfortune that would make life unlivable, especially rape or loss of virginity. The phrase was formerly a euphemism for rape.

Origin: This phrase originally attested to the belief that a dishonoured woman was better off dead. It is still used, but ironically of late. The earlier view was expressed in Gibbon's Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire, 1781: "The matrons and virgins of Rome were exposed to injuries more dreadful, in the apprehension of chastity, than death itself."

The current version of the phrase was used in several works from 1810 onward but was probably brought into public use via Edgar Rice Burroughs' widely read Tarzan of the Apes, 1914:

"[The ape] threw her roughly across his broad, hairy shoulders, and leaped back into the trees, bearing Jane Porter away toward a fate a thousand times worse than death." The expression isn't used seriously with its original meaning these days. It's more often used in parody form by local journalists who use 'A fête worse than death' in reviews of church fêtes.

QUOTE BOX

Our dead are never dead to us, until we have forgotten them.

—George Eliot

RIDDLE THIS

It's so fragile even just saying its name can break it. What is it?

Answer: Silence.

SUDOKU

			3	8		9		2
4							7	1
				4	7			
			5			7	1	
	1						8	
	9	7			8			
			4	6				
3	4							6
7		1		2	5			

Answer to previous puzzle

8	4	6	1	5	7	9	2	3
9	1	3	2	6	4	5	7	8
5	7	2	8	9	3	1	6	4
3	6	8	7	2	1	4	9	5
4	9	7	6	8	5	2	3	1
2	5	1	4	3	9	6	8	7
6	8	5	3	1	2	7	4	9
1	2	4	9	7	8	3	5	6
7	3	9	5	4	6	8	1	2

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Queen of Crime ___ Christie
6 Place for mooring yachts
10 Steep rock, peak
11 Girl's name
12 Light-hearted
14 Pet name for Louis?
16 Nautical speed rating
17 Lowing sound
19 A bonny ___ : young and healthy Scottish girl
21 ___ wolf : raise false alarm?
22 Rambling story
23 Cost or expenditure or investment?
25 Salary increases
27 Org of Amer. States
28 Arabian or Red or Black
29 Military action
32 Column; post
35 Employs or avails of
36 Objective case of 'She'
38 Don't be afraid!
39 Ex-England skipper Dexter
40 Sun hat - "a rite" changed?
42 Block up the flow of a river etc.
43 Get or inherit? (4,4)
45 "The Simpsons" bartender
46 Slaloms?
47 Rails
48 Evade capture

THURSDAY'S ANSWER:

W	A	I	F		B	I	G		O	A	S	T
A	N	N	E		R	T	O		F	L	E	E
S	U	E	Z		O	S	S	I	F	I	E	S
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O	S	L	O		E	N	S		D	A	L	E
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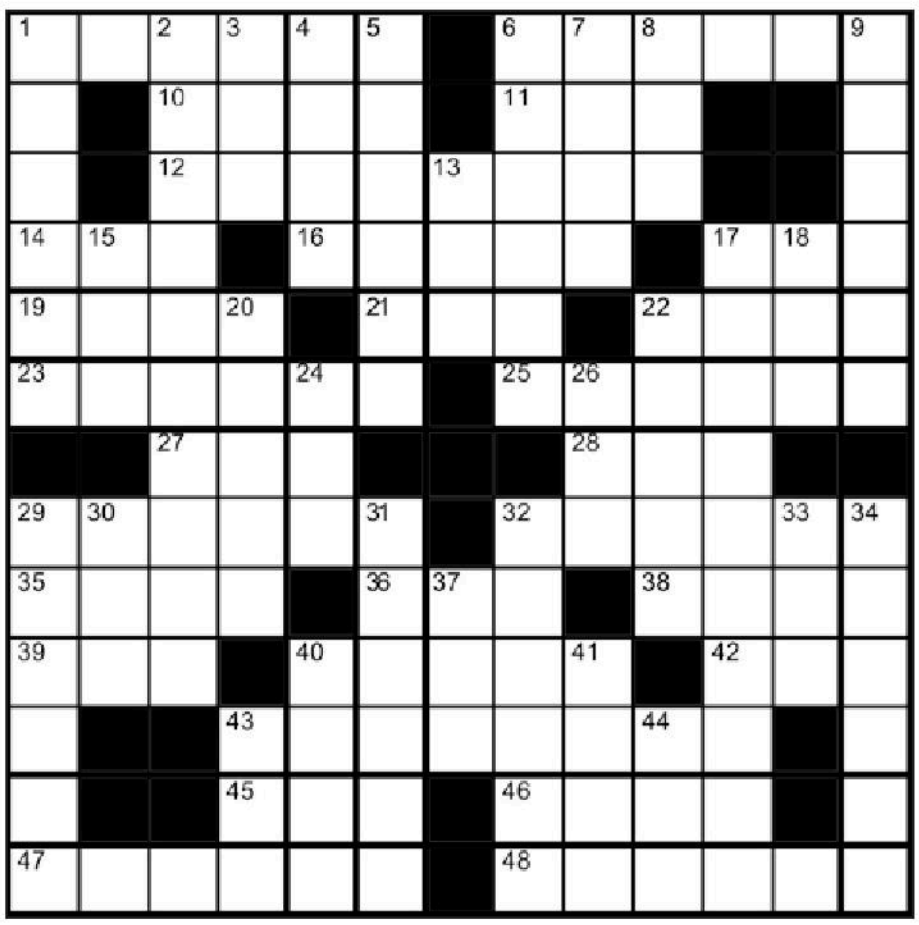
M	A	N	Y		G	R	E		E	L	M	S

DOWN

1 US moon mission
2 Habitual
3 La lead-in
4 ___ back : revert to a subject or point ?
5 Middleman's office
6 One who dies for the cause
7 Ex-English wicket keeper Leslie ___
8 Cereal grass
9 Crimes of wilful burning and destructions
13 ___ now : until a later time?
15 Org. of African Unity
17 Udipi snack (6,4)
18 Mineral - "roe" anagram?
20 Thick slices
22 Admit defeat
24 As sweet __ _ rose? (2,1)
26 __ _ recall
29 Slice of meat
30 Sugar suffix ?
31 Topics or subjects under discussion
32 Extol the virtues of
33 Old time classic movie Alam ___
34 Distant
37 'Before' for the poet
40 ___ a chance : dared?
41 Writing fluids
43 Central Maintenance Comp.
44 Habitual spasmodic twitching of facial muscles



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

VGBL BYBKCQLB FA AQUBOQWC,

MGBL LQ QLB'A TLCOQWC

TODAY'S CLUE: Q EQUALS O

Thursday's Cryptoquip: Happiness in intelligent people is the rarest thing I know - Ernest Hemmingway

Now SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Striker	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
Kaddu Mucchi	Skyline	2481170	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9986022634	4 Shows
	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
Bell Bottom	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Natasaarvabhowma	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
Seetharama Kalyana	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
Chambal	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Kalbettada Darodekoraru	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
HINDI			
Total Dhamaal	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
MA Pass	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
TELUGU			
NTR-Mahanayakudu	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Dhilluku Dhuddu-2	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows

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Chambal (K)	(S-1)	10.35 am; (S-2) 4.30 pm
NTR-Mahanayakudu (Te)	(S-1)	1.15 pm
Natasarvabhouma (K)	(S-1)	4.00 pm
URI - The Surgical Strike (H)	(S-1)	7.05 pm; (S-2) 1.45 pm
Gully Boy (H)	(S-1)	9.55 pm
	(S-2)	10.30 am, 6.55 pm
Mr. & Ms. Rowdy (Ma)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Yaarige Yaaruntu (K)	(S-3)	10.30 am
Kalbettada Darodekoraru (K)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Bell Bottom (K)	(S-3)	4.30 pm, 7.10 pm
Kodathi Samaksham Balan Vakeel (Ma)	(S-3)	9.55 pm
Total Dhamaal (H)	(S-4)	10.15 am, 1.15 pm, 4.10 7.05 pm, 9.55 pm

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Bell Bottom (K)	(S-3)	10.50 am, 4.00 pm
Natasarvabhouma (K)	(S-4)	3.55 pm
Gully Boy (H)	(S-1)	9.55 am, 1.05 pm 4.15 pm, 9.50 pm
URI - The Surgical Strike (H)	(S-4)	10.35 am
	(S-3)	6.45 pm
Total Dhamaal (H)	(S-2)	10.55 am, 1.40 pm, 4.25 pm, 7.10, 9.55 pm
Chambal (K)	(S-3)	1.35 pm
	(S-1)	7.25 pm
Striker (K)	(S-4)	1.30 pm
Kalbettada Darodekoraru (K)	(S-4)	7.15 pm
NTR - Mahanayakudu (Te)	(S-3)	9.40 pm
Kodathi Samaksham Balan Vakeel (Ma)	(S-4)	9.30 pm

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URI - The Surgical Strike (H)	9.40 am, 12.40 pm, 7.00 pm
Kalbettada Darodekoraru (K)	10.00 am
Total Dhamaal (H)	10.10 am, 1 pm, 3.50 pm, 6.40 9.30 pm
Mr. & Ms. Rowdy (Ma)	10.40 am
Striker (K)	12.20 pm
Bell Bottom (K)	1.45 pm, 7.10 pm
Natasaarvabhowma (K)	3.10 pm
Gully Boy (H)	3.40 pm, 10.00 pm
Chambal (K)	4.40 pm
Kodathi Samaksham Balan Vakeel (Ma)	6.30 pm
LKG (Ta)	9.45 pm
Kumbalangi Nights (Ma)	10.00 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

Canara Bank holds Retail Loan Expo

Mysuru, Feb.24 (RKB&NNN)- Canara Bank had organised a retail loan expo at its Regional Office in Nazarbad here on Friday.

General Manager Dr. S.T. Ramachandra from Head Office addressed the gathering and explained about various schemes for the benefit of customers.

On the occasion, he issued sanction letters related to housing loan, vehicle loans etc. to customers.

Regional Head K.B. Geetha asked the customers to avail the benefits of all the schemes including Pradhan Mantri Awas Scheme (PMAY) - housing for all, as announced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

Retail Asset Hub Divisional Manager Padma Priya, Senior Manager Ravi Kumar, Divisional Managers Muralidhar and Raghuram and others were also present on the occasion.

EVENTS TODAY (FEB.24)

Art Expo: National Science Day, painting expo by artist U.G. Mohan Kumar Aradhya, Suchitra Art Gallery, Kalamandira premises, **up to 7.30 pm.**

Ganabharathi: Special programme of introducing great literary works of renowned Kannada poets through various genres of music, like Sugama Sangeetha, Ranga Sangeetha, Film Music, Gamaka and Classical Music — both Hindustani and Karnatak, Veene Seshanna Bhavana, Kuvempunagar, **up to 9 pm.**

Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy Temple, Hanumanthanagar: Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy Mahotsava, Mahamangalarati Prasada Viniyoga, **3 pm;** Utsava, **6 pm.**

The Anathalaya - Sahitya Sangha 2018-19 and Lokasevanirata V. Narayanarao Smaraka Nidhi: Valedictory of 25th annual Kannada debate contest, The Anathalaya President R. Guru presides, writer Kabbinale Vasanth Bharadwaj chief guest, Annapurna Nilaya, The Anathalaya, **4 pm.**

Kannada Sahitya Academy, Bengaluru: Chakora - 101, Kavi-Kavya-Vichara Vedike, Mysuru, Rashtrakavi G.S. Shivarudrappa: Kavya Meluku-Odanata Nenapu, G.S. Shivarudrappa's son Prof. G.S. Jayadeva, Karnataka Sahitya Academy Member Dr. Nilagiri M. Talawar and poet T. Satish Javaregowda will be present, Kuvempu Institute of Kannada Studies (KIKS), Manasagangothri, **4 pm.**

Abhiyenthararu National Theatre Festival

Abhiyenthararu - A Theatre for Engineers, Kannada & Culture Department and South Zone Cultural Centre (SZCC): Rashtriya Ranga Utsava (National Theatre Festival), 'Sharifarige Sharanu' music programme by Theatre Music Director Ramachandra Hadapad, **5.30 pm;** Staging of Malayalam play 'Veendum Bhagavante Maranam' (directed by Hazim Amaravilla) by artistes of Kanal Samskarika Vedhi, Kalamandira, **7 pm.**

Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru City Unit: Book release and Endowment Lecture, Sri Nataraja Swamiji graces the occasion, Prof. Maleyur Guruswamy releases the book 'Suttur Srigandha' authored by M. Neelambika, talk on 'Indina Tantrika Yugakke Vachanagala Agatyate' by Dr. D.S. Guru, Parishat President G.R. Parameshwarappa presides, Vachana Gayana by Sri Gowrishankara Mahila Balaga (Gowrishankaranagar), Sri Rajendra Bhavan, JSS Hospital premises, **4.30 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Ishtanandaji speaks on 'The Gospel and its writer,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

Raaga Vaibhava: Grand Karnatak Classical Violin Duet by **Vid. Mysore M. Nagaraj and Vid. Dr. Mysore M. Manjunath,** accompanied by Vid. Thiruvarur Bhakthavathsala on mridanga and Vid. Giridhar Udupa on ghata, Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha, JLB Road, **6 pm.**

Rangayana: Staging of play 'Krishnegowdana Anne,' Bhoomigeeta, Rangayana premises, **6.30 pm.**

Natana School of Theatre Arts: Staging of play 'Chora Charanadasa,' School premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (FEB.25)

Karnataka Union of Working Journalists (KUWJ) and Mysuru District Journalists Association (MDJA): Flagging of 'Madhyama Ratha' as part of 34th Journalists State Conference to be held at Suttur Srikshetra, MPs Pratap Simha & R. Dhruvanarayan, MLA A.H. Vishwanath, City Police Commissioner K.T. Balakrishna and industrialist G. Ravi will be present, Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple premises, **9.30 am.**

Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy Temple, Hanumanthanagar: Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy Mahotsava, Sri Satyanarayana Puja, **9.30 am.**

District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Mysuru, Sri Jayachamaraja Urs Education Trust, Vani Vilas Urs First Grade College, Mysuru: M.J. Nanjundaradhya Endowment and Chiranjivi Singh Endowment and books release — 'Sri Kuvempu-Shudra Tapasvi' and 'T.P. Kailasam-Talikattokkuline?,' Vani Vilas Urs Women's College Principal K.S. Nanjundaswamy inaugurates, scholar Dr. Malali Vasanthakumar delivers talk, Parishat Mysuru President Dr. Y.D. Rajanna presides, keynote address by Vani Vilas Urs Women's College Kannada Department Head H.S. Dhanalakshmi, Vani Vilas Urs Women's College auditorium, **11 am.**

Abhiyenthararu - A Theatre for Engineers, Kannada & Culture Department and South Zone Cultural Centre (SZCC): Rashtriya Ranga Utsava (National Theatre Festival), staging of Girish Karnad's Kannada play 'Tughlaq' by Samudaya, Bengaluru (Directed by Samkutty Pattomkari), Kalamandira, **7 pm.**

Four from city to be conferred Kuvempu awards tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb.24- Noted poet of the city Hirimarali Dharmaraju and Bhoomigiri Prakashana's N. Bettegowda will be conferred Kuvempu Vishwamanava Kannada Ratna Award, while the city's Janachetana Trust President Prasanna N. Gowda and translator G. Vijayanag will be conferred Kuvempu Kannada Award at a programme to take place at Ravindra Kalakshetra in Bengaluru at 5 pm tomorrow (Feb.25).

The four are among the 115 achievers from the State who will be conferred the awards, instituted by Bengaluru's Vishwamanava Rashtrakavi Kuvempu Kalaniketana.

Union Minister D.V. Sadananda Gowda, Kuvempu's daughter Tarini and son-in-law Prof. Chidananda Gowda will be present.

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